

THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS  
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December 4 - 11, 2017 Edition

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This e-mail is divided into three sections:

- Details of this week's contests
- List of following week's contests
- Contest log submittal addresses and deadlines for recent contests

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THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:  
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ARS Spartan Sprint: 0200Z-0400Z, Dec 5

Geographic Focus: North America

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m

Classes: Skinny

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Max power: 5 watts

Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + Power

Work stations: Once per band

Submit logs by: December 7, 2017

E-mail logs to: spartansprint[at]yahoo[dot]com

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://arsqrp.blogspot.com/2009/02/so-whats-spartan-sprint-and-how-do-i.html>

QRP Fox Hunt: 0200Z-0330Z, Dec 6

Geographic Focus: United States

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 40m Only

Classes: Single Op (Fox/Hound)

Max power: 5 watts

Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + name + power output

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points

Submit logs by: 0330Z December 7, 2017

E-mail logs to: (see rules)

Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: [http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/winter\\_rules.htm](http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/winter_rules.htm)

Phone Weekly Test: 0230Z-0300Z, Dec 6  
Geographic Focus: North America  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: SSB  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15m  
Classes: Single Op  
Max power: 100 watts  
Exchange: NA: Name + (state/province/country)  
          non-NA: Name  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: NA station: 1 point per QSO  
          non-NA station: 1 point per QSO with an NA station  
Multipliers: Each US state (including KH6/KL7) once per band  
          Each VE province/territory once per band  
          Each North American country (except W/VE) once per band  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 0300Z December 8, 2017  
E-mail logs to: (none)  
Post log summary at: <http://www.3830scores.com>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: [http://www.perluma.com/Phone\\_Fray\\_Contest\\_Rules.pdf](http://www.perluma.com/Phone_Fray_Contest_Rules.pdf)

CWops Test (CWT): 1300Z-1400Z, Dec 6 and 1900Z-2000Z, Dec 6 and 0300Z-0400Z, Dec 7  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Awards: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m  
Classes: Single Op (QRP/Low/High)  
Max power: HP: >100 watts  
          LP: 100 watts  
          QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: Member: Name + Member No./"CWA"  
          non-Member: Name + (state/province/country)  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: Each call once  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 0400Z December 9, 2017  
Post log summary at: <http://www.3830scores.com>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://www.cwops.org/cwt.html>

QRP ARCI Topband Sprint: 0000Z-0600Z, Dec 7  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 160m Only  
Classes: Single-Op  
Exchange: ARCI: RST + (state/province/country) + ARCI No.  
          non-ARCI: RST + (state/province/country) + power out

Work stations: Once per mode

QSO Points: ARCI Member: 5 points

Non-Member Different Continent: 4 points

Non-Member Same Continent: 2 points

Multipliers: States, once regardless of mode

VE Provinces, once regardless of mode

Countries, once regardless of mode

CW Power Mult: x1 >5W, x7 1-5W, x10 250mW-1W, 15x 55-250mW, 20x

<55mW

SSB Power Mult: x1 >10W, x7 2-10W, x10 500mW-2W, 15x 100-500mW, 20x

<100mW

Mixed Power Mult: smaller of CW or SSB power multiplier

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x (state mults + province mults + country mults) x power mult

Submit logs by: December 20, 2017

E-mail logs to: (none)

Upload log at: <http://www.qrpcontest.com>

Mail logs to: ARCI Top Band Sprint

c/o Jeff Hetherington, VA3JFF

139 Elizabeth St. W.

Welland,

Ontario

Canada, L3C 4M3

Find rules at: <http://www.qrparci.org/>

NRAU 10m Activity Contest: 1800Z-1900Z, Dec 7 (CW) and 1900Z-2000Z, Dec 7 (SSB) and 2000Z-2100Z, Dec 7 (FM) and 2100Z-2200Z, Dec 7 (Dig)

Geographic Focus: Nordic Europe

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW, SSB, FM, Digital

Bands: 10m Only

Classes: Single Op

Multi-Op

Exchange: RS(T) + 6-character grid square

QSO Points: (see rules)

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points

Submit logs by: December 21, 2017

Upload log at: [http://ua9qcq.com/en/submit\\_log.php?lang=en](http://ua9qcq.com/en/submit_log.php?lang=en)

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://www.nrau.net/activity-contests/below-30mhz.html>

NCCC RTTY Sprint: 0145Z-0215Z, Dec 8

Geographic Focus: North America

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: RTTY

Bands: (see rules)

Classes: (none)

Max power: 100 watts

Exchange: Serial No. + Name + QTH

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: December 10, 2017

E-mail logs to: (none)

Post log summary at: <http://www.3830scores.com/>

Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://www.ncccsprint.com/rttyns.html>

QRP Fox Hunt: 0200Z-0330Z, Dec 8  
Geographic Focus: United States  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 80m Only  
Classes: Single Op (Fox/Hound)  
Max power: 5 watts  
Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + name + power output  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: (none)  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points  
Submit logs by: 0330Z December 9, 2017  
E-mail logs to: (see rules)  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: [http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/winter\\_rules.htm](http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/winter_rules.htm)

NCCC Sprint: 0230Z-0300Z, Dec 8  
Geographic Focus: North America  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: (see rules)  
Classes: (none)  
Max power: 100 watts  
Exchange: Serial No. + Name + QTH  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: December 10, 2017  
E-mail logs to: (none)  
Post log summary at: <http://www.3830scores.com/>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.html>

ARRL 10-Meter Contest: 0000Z, Dec 9 to 2400Z, Dec 10  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW, Phone  
Bands: 10m Only  
Classes: Single Op (QRP/Low/High)(CW/Phone/Mixed)  
Single Op Unlimited (QRP/Low/High)(CW/Phone/Mixed)  
Single Op Overlay: (Limited Antennas)  
Multi-Single (Low/High)  
Max operating hours: 36 hours  
Max power: HP: 1500 watts  
LP: 100 watts  
QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: W/VE: RST + State/Province  
XE: RST + State  
DX: RST + Serial No.  
MM: RST + ITU Region  
QSO Points: 2 points per Phone QSO  
4 points per CW QSO  
Multipliers: Each US State + DC once per mode

Each VE Province/Territory once per mode  
Each XE State once per mode  
Each DXCC Country once per mode  
Each ITU Region (MM only) once per mode  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: December 15, 2017  
E-mail logs to: (none)  
Upload log at: <http://contest-log-submission.arrl.org>  
Mail logs to: 10 Meter Contest  
ARRL  
225 Main St.  
Newington, CT 06111  
USA  
Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/10-meter>

SKCC Weekend Sprintathon: 1200Z, Dec 9 to 2400Z, Dec 10  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Awards: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6m  
Classes: Single Op (QRP/Low/High)  
Multi-Op  
Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + Name + (SKCC No./"NONE")  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Bonus Points: (see rules)  
Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once  
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults) + bonus points  
Submit logs by: December 17, 2017  
Post log summary at: [http://www.skccgroup.com/operating\\_activities/weekend\\_sprintathon/submit-display.php](http://www.skccgroup.com/operating_activities/weekend_sprintathon/submit-display.php)  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: [http://www.skccgroup.com/operating\\_activities/weekend\\_sprintathon/](http://www.skccgroup.com/operating_activities/weekend_sprintathon/)

International Naval Contest: 1600Z, Dec 9 to 1559Z, Dec 10  
Geographic Focus: Europe  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW, SSB  
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m  
Classes: Naval Single Op All Band (CW/SSB/Mixed)  
Naval Club Station  
non-Naval  
SWL  
Max operating hours: 24 hours  
Exchange: Naval Club Member: RS(T) + Club + Member No.  
non-Naval Club Member: RS(T) + Serial No.  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: Naval Club Members: 10 points  
non-Naval Club Members: 1 point  
Multipliers: Naval Club Members, once regardless of band  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: December 31, 2017

E-mail logs to: mick\_g3lik[at]ntlworld[dot]com

Mail logs to: Mick Puttick - G3LIK  
21 Sanyfield Crescent  
Cowplain, Waterloooville  
Hants, PO8 8SQ  
United Kingdom

Find rules at: <http://www.marinefunker.de/eng/show.php3?pos=16>

AWA Bruce Kelley 1929 QSO Party: 2300Z, Dec 9 to 2300Z, Dec 10 and 2300Z, Dec 16 to 2300Z, Dec 17

Geographic Focus: United States

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20m

Classes: (none)

Max power: 25 watts input

Exchange: RST + Name + QTH + Eqpt Year + Transmitter Type (see rules for format)

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Input Power(W)

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points

Submit logs by: January 15, 2018

E-mail logs to: dgparkers2[at]wisc[dot]edu

Mail logs to: Dave Parker  
PO Box 6  
Prairie du Sac, WI 53578  
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.antiquewireless.org/bruce-kelley-memorial-cw-qso-party.html>

QRP ARCI Holiday Spirits Sprint: 2000Z-2359Z, Dec 10

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m

Classes: All Bands

Single Band

High Bands

Low Bands

Multi-Op

DX

Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + (ARCI number/power)

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: ARCI Member: 5 points

Non-Member Different Continent: 4 points

Non-Member Same Continent: 2 points

Bonus points per band: 2000 for HB xmtr, 3000 for HB rcvr, 5000 for

HB transcvr

Bonus points: 5000 for battery power portable with temporary antenna

(not once per band)

Multipliers: States, once per band

VE Provinces, once per band

Countries, once per band

Power Mult: x1 >5W, x7 1-5W, x10 250mW-1W, 15x 55-250mW, 20x <55mW

Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x (state mults + province mults + country mults) x power mult) + bonus points

Submit logs by: December 24, 2017

E-mail logs to: contest[at]qrparci[dot]org

Upload log at: <http://www.qrpcontest.com>

Mail logs to: ARCI Holiday Spirits Homebrew Sprint

c/o Jeff Hetherington VA3JFF

139 Elizabeth St. W.

Welland

Ontario

Canada, L3C 4M3

Find rules at: <http://www.qrparci.org/>

CQC Great Colorado Snowshoe Run: 2100Z-2259Z, Dec 10

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 20m Only

Classes: Single Op

Max power: 5 watts

Exchange: RST + (state/province/country)

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

5 points per QSO with W0CQC or N0CQC

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points

Submit logs by: January 9, 2018

E-mail logs to: vkumagai[at]q[dot]com

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://www.coloradoqrpclub.org/contests/snow.htm>

4 States QRP Group Second Sunday Sprint: 0100Z-0300Z, Dec 11

Geographic Focus: North America

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW, SSB

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m

Classes: Single Op

Max power: CW: 5 watts, SSB: 10 watts

Exchange: Member: RS(T) + (State/Province/Country) + Member No.

Non-member: RS(T) + (State/Province/Country) + Power

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-member

2 points per QSO with member

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points

Submit logs by: December 13, 2017

E-mail logs to: (none)

Post log summary at: <http://qrpcontest.com/4sqrp>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: [http://www.4sqrp.com/SSS/sss\\_rules.pdf](http://www.4sqrp.com/SSS/sss_rules.pdf)

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NEXT WEEK'S CONTESTS:

AWA Bruce Kelley 1929 QSO Party	2300Z, Dec 9 to 2300Z, Dec 10 2300Z, Dec 16 to 2300Z, Dec
17	
NAQCC CW Sprint	0130Z-0330Z, Dec 13
QRP Fox Hunt	0200Z-0330Z, Dec 13
Phone Weekly Test	0230Z-0300Z, Dec 13
CWops Test	1300Z-1400Z, Dec 13 1900Z-2000Z, Dec 13 0300Z-0400Z, Dec 14
NCCC RTTY Sprint	0145Z-0215Z, Dec 15
QRP Fox Hunt	0200Z-0330Z, Dec 15
NCCC Sprint	0230Z-0300Z, Dec 15
UN DIGI Contest	1400Z-1559Z, Dec 15 1600Z-1759Z, Dec 15
AGB-Party Contest	1600Z-1700Z, Dec 15
Russian 160-Meter Contest	2000Z-2400Z, Dec 15
Feld Hell Sprint	0000Z-2359Z, Dec 16
OK DX RTTY Contest	0000Z-2400Z, Dec 16
Padang DX Contest	1200Z, Dec 16 to 1159Z, Dec
17	
Croatian DX Contest	1400Z, Dec 16 to 1400Z, Dec
17	
ARRL Rookie Roundup, CW	1800Z-2359Z, Dec 17
Run for the Bacon QRP Contest	0200Z-0400Z, Dec 18

#### CONTEST LOG SUBMITTAL DEADLINES FOR RECENT CONTESTS

Please consult the individual contest rules to determine what log documentation must be submitted (i.e. summary sheet, dupe sheets, etc.).

LZ DX Contest: December 4, 2017  
 E-mail: [lzdxc\[at\]bfra\[dot\]bg](mailto:lzdxc[at]bfra[dot]bg)  
 Upload log at: <http://bfra.bg:8080/WebEditor/>  
 Mail: BFRA  
 P.O. Box 830  
 1000 Sofia  
 Bulgaria  
 Find rules at: <http://lzdxc.bfra.org/rulesen.html>

Ukrainian DX Contest: December 5, 2017  
 E-mail: [urdx\[at\]ukr\[dot\]net](mailto:urdx[at]ukr[dot]net)  
 Mail: Ukrainian Contest Club HQ  
 P.O. Box 4850  
 Zaporozhye 69118  
 Ukraine  
 Web-to-Cab form: [http://www.b4h.net/cabforms/ukrainiandx\\_cab.php](http://www.b4h.net/cabforms/ukrainiandx_cab.php)  
 Find rules at: <http://urdx.org/rules.php?english>

ARRL EME Contest: December 6, 2017  
 E-mail: [EMEcontest\[at\]arrl\[dot\]org](mailto:EMEcontest[at]arrl[dot]org)



Mail: EME Contest  
ARRL  
225 Main St.  
Newington, CT 06111  
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/eme-contest>

ARRL EME Contest: December 6, 2017  
E-mail: [EMEcontest\[at\]arrl\[dot\]org](mailto:EMEcontest[at]arrl[dot]org)  
Mail: EME Contest  
ARRL  
225 Main St.  
Newington, CT 06111  
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/eme-contest>

ARRL EME Contest: December 6, 2017  
E-mail: [EMEcontest\[at\]arrl\[dot\]org](mailto:EMEcontest[at]arrl[dot]org)  
Mail: EME Contest  
ARRL  
225 Main St.  
Newington, CT 06111  
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/eme-contest>

ARRL 160-Meter Contest: December 8, 2017  
E-mail: (none)  
Upload log at: <http://contest-log-submission.arrl.org>  
Mail: 160 Meter Contest  
ARRL  
225 Main St.  
Newington, CT 06111  
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/160-meter>

Wake-Up! QRP Sprint: December 9, 2017  
E-mail: [ru-qrp-club\[at\]mail\[dot\]ru](mailto:ru-qrp-club[at]mail[dot]ru)  
Mail: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://qrp.ru/contest/wakeup/333-wakeup-eng>

Telephone Pioneers QSO Party: December 10, 2017  
E-mail: [n6tpjim\[at\]gmail\[dot\]com](mailto:n6tpjim[at]gmail[dot]com)  
Mail: Jim Muiter  
4233 Wooster Ave.  
San Mateo, CA, 94403  
USA  
Find rules at: <http://www.tpqso.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/Announ2017v1.1.pdf>

PRO CW Contest: December 10, 2017  
E-mail: [contest\[at\]procwclub\[dot\]ro](mailto:contest[at]procwclub[dot]ro)  
Mail: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://www.procwclub.ro/TAC%20Rules.html>

JIDX Phone Contest: December 12, 2017

E-mail: ph[at]jidx[dot]org

Mail: JIDX Phone Contest

P.O.Box 22,

Mitaka,

Tokyo 181-8799

Japan

Find rules at: <http://www.jidx.org/jidxrule-e.html>

Homebrew and Oldtime Equipment Party: December 21, 2017

E-mail: hot[at]qrpcc[dot]de

Mail: Lutz Gutheil, DL1RNN

Bergstr. 17

D-38446 Wolfsburg

Germany

Find rules at: <http://www.qrpcc.de/contestrules/hotr.html>

IPARC Contest, CW: December 31, 2017

E-mail: dj6qq[at]darc[dot]de

Mail: Uwe Greggersen, DJ6QQ

Hurststr 9

D-51645 Gummersbach

Germany

Find rules at: <http://www.iparc.de>

IPARC Contest, SSB: December 31, 2017

E-mail: dj6qq[at]darc[dot]de

Mail: Uwe Greggersen, DJ6QQ

Hurststr 9

D-51645 Gummersbach

Germany

Find rules at: <http://www.iparc.de>

All Austrian 160-Meter Contest: December 31, 2017

E-mail: hf-contest[at]oevsv[dot]at

Upload log at: <http://aoec-auswertung.oevsv.at/>

Mail: OEVSV-HQ

HF-Contest Manager

Industriezentrum NO-Sud, Strasse 14, Objekt 31

2351 Wr Neudorf

Austria

Find rules at: [http://www.oevsv.at/export/shared/.content/.galleries/Downloads\\_Referate/HF-Referat-Downloads/Regeln\\_Aoec\\_160m\\_2017.pdf](http://www.oevsv.at/export/shared/.content/.galleries/Downloads_Referate/HF-Referat-Downloads/Regeln_Aoec_160m_2017.pdf)

Classic Exchange, CW: December 31, 2017

E-mail: wq8u[at]arrl[dot]net

Mail: WQ8U

104 W. Queen St.

Hillsborough, NC 27278

USA

Find rules at: <http://www.classicexchange.org/sep17/sep17ann.html>

Kentucky QSO Party: December 31, 2017

E-mail: k4cms[at]aol[dot]com

Mail: Larry R. Smith, K4CMS  
623 Shady Lane  
Alvaton, KY 42122  
USA

Find rules at: [http://www.wkdx.com/mainsite/index.php?option=com\\_content&view=article&id=45:wkdx&catid=1:latest-news&Itemid=63](http://www.wkdx.com/mainsite/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=45:wkdx&catid=1:latest-news&Itemid=63)

Classic Exchange, Phone: December 31, 2017

E-mail: [wq8u@arrl.net](mailto:wq8u@arrl.net)

Mail: WQ8U  
104 W. Queen St.  
Hillsborough, NC 27278  
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.classicexchange.org/sep17/sep17ann.html>

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